## **CLAIMS**

## What is claimed is:

A polymeric blends comprising:

from about 2 to about 30 percent by weight thermoplastic polyurethane elastomer;

from about 55 to about 145 parts by weight copolyester per 100 parts by weight thermoplastic polyurethane elastomer;

from about 400 to about 1,000 parts by weight ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer per 100 parts by weight thermoplastic polyurethane elastomer;

from about 15 to about 85 parts by weight softening agent per 100 parts by weight thermoplastic polyurethane elastomer; and

from about 15 to about 85 parts by weight compatibilizing agent per 100 parts by weight thermoplastic polyurethane elastomer.

A polymeric blend comprising: 2.

> from about 6 to about 14 percent by weight thermoplastic polyurethane;

from about 6 to about 14 percent by weight copolyester;

from about 55 to about 85 percent by weight ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer;

from about 2 to about 85 percent by weight styrene-isoprene-styrene block copolymer; and

from about 2 to about 8 percent by weight maleic anhydride modified polypropylene.

A polymeric blend comprising: 3.

> from about 6 to about 14 percent by weight thermoplastic polyurethane;

from about 6 to about 14 percent by weight copolyester;

from about 55 to about 85 percent by weight ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer;

from about 2 to about 85 percent by weight styrene-isoprene-styrene block copolymer; and

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from about 2 to about 8 percent by weight maleic anhydride modified EPDM.